

Docket No.: 53074-026



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : **RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**  
Tetsuzo Ueda : **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
Serial No.: 09/904,131 : Customer Number: 20277  
Filed: July 11, 2001 : Confirmation Number: 2396  
: Group Art Unit: 1765  
: Examiner: Matthew Song

For: LAYERED SUBSTRATES FOR EPITAXIAL PROCESSING AND DEVICE

**SECOND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

Mail Stop Non-Fee After-Final Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated October 20, 2003 and the final Office Action dated June 9, 2003, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 9, 2003, and the petition for a two-month extension of time up to and including November 9, 2003 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.

*Entered  
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dtd 12/8/03*